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## DTE Cut-off power / Sequence of Events

DTE cut-off my power more than three months ago, simply for asking to replace the unsafe, unlawful 'smart meter' with a safe, lawful analog meter. I live in a completely power-driven house. I need your help to get DTE restore the power with an analog meter, as the cold winter is approaching fast.

This is my story of what happened to me...

1. In the **spring of 2011**, DTE did a neighborhood drive to persuade home owners to accept DTE's change of the existing analog meter with a smart meter— as they marketed it—a better one, more efficient, more economical, less costly, better for consumers, etc. I/we did not know anything about the new digital meter, naively believed the 'marketing' words and accepted the new meter.

Soon after installing the smart meter, I experienced many problems:

- a) I am generally a very healthy person and take good care of my health, but I began to develop health issues.
- b) My electric bill also increased significantly.

I called DTE to inquire why the electric bill increased significantly. There were no changes in our pattern of living, but the bill increased 40%. They argued and nothing was accomplished.

Within a few months after the smart meter was installed, I began to suffer with adverse health effects. I developed a massive breakout, which erupted on my entire body, from head to below ankles, covering 90% of my body with something that looked like an allergic rash and extreme itching. I was sent to emergency; no clear diagnosis was given.

Thereafter, I received random medical newsletters reporting increasing number of patients with allergic-like outbreaks on their bodies (very similar to mine), some progressing in cancer, some depression. A closer investigation lead to the smart meter emitting EM waves being harmful to the human body. It noted symptoms began to alleviate once the smart meter was removed and treatment continued to reverse adverse conditions.

I contacted Joe McCormick from DTE, AMI Department, explained to him the health condition that I developed, as well as headaches, anxiety, depression, sharp pains in the body, sleepless nights due to awful itching and asked to change the SM with analog meter. <u>My request was ignored</u>.

2. 24 Jan 2012 I sent a legal notice to DTE Energy Co, Mr. John Jamerson, asking to replace the 'Smart Meter' with an analog one.

February 2012: Joe McCormick of DTE mailed a printed DTE brochure, titled "Smart Currents"

**19 April 2014**. I sent a "Notice" addressed to Joseph McCormick of DTE, giving 30 days to comply with demand for removal of the SM due to adverse health effects.

- 3. 23 April 2014. Joe McCormick mailed a page informing me of their Opt-Out Program.
- **4. 28 April 2014**. I mailed "Notice" to Gerald M. Anderson, CEO, second request to remove the SM and return the analog meter to my home due to adverse health effects. DTE ignored my request.
- 5. 31 May 2014. In a Self-Defense act to protect my health and safety in my household, I paid a professional to remove the SM and replace it with an analog meter, as DTE defaulted.

- **5. June 2014.** Robert Sitkauskas, General Manager, AMP mailed: **DTE Energy Shut Off Notice:** on or after June 19, 2014, claiming 1) unapproved meter and 2) tempering with their meter.
- 7. 16 June 2014. I sent "Notice" addressed to Robert Sitkauskas, Gen Mgr of Advanced Metering Program rebutting all their false charges; gave DTE 21 days to correct their mistakes.
- 8. 17 June 2014. Joe McCormick of DTE left a voice message, informing: "DTE will cut off the power on or after June19, 2014.
- **9. 18 June 2014** I called Joe McCormick in response to his phone message. He said DTE will have to disconnect the electricity and change the meter.
  - I informed Mr. McCormick I would agree to change my analog meter providing their meter will be 1) an analog meter, 2) non-emitting EM radiation, 3) no monitoring device built-in; we will check it.
- 10 July 2014 DTE cut off the power, on the 21st day mentioned in item 7; it has not been restored since then: no drinking water, no flushing toilet, no heating, no phone, no cooking,..

## IMPLICATIONS OF DTE'S ELECTRICITY SHUTOFF

The Home is all-electricity-driven: well, range, furnace, lighting, phone, computer or any emergency device; adversely, no drinking water, no flushing toilet, no shower, no heat (below freezing temps started), no way to cook, no lightening, no phone, no refrigeration, ... nothing!

I have contacted many lawyers but they would not risk being bankrupt by DTE.
I have also contacted lawmakers: Tom McMillan, Mike Rogers, Jim Runestad, Gail Haines, Aric Nasbitt,
Oakland Health Dept & Exec office. I have personally met with Gail Haines, the District House Representative,
and she asked me to contact again but she stated she cannot do anything to respond to my plea for help.

Few neighbors complained of my generator's noise used to heat the house when temp dropped below freezing, so the home association ordered me to stop using the generator, threatening with police & legal action if I continue to use it. Jim Carlton stated few times he does not care me having 30 deg F in the house, but he minds the inconvenience of few neighbors.

## I/We am/are contacting you to help me/us:

- To keep the analog meter and get the electricity restored as below freezing temperatures are already here;
- To make my/our voice heard by the public, DTE, politicians & legislators, to take immediate action and establish a permanent analog meter option in Michigan as available in other states;
- To have a Hearing and have my/our voice heard on record;
- To stop forced installation of smart meters or DTE's opt-out version and power shut offs as done to me;
- To build public awareness of the threats to our health, invasion of privacy and safety, through media.

In helping me, many more families in MI will be protected from the painful sufferings inflicted unreasonably, and spare others from such extortion. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Respectfully,

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## Pictures taken on January 27, 2012



